



CLIMATE

Immediately after the harvest, the rain is constant till mid februar. Almost 600 mm fall down, and it's good after three years of an hydric diet.

The end of the winter and the beginning of the spring will be very wet and sometimes snowy.

The vines loves the unexpected heat which lasts from mid-april to june. Then, unfortunately, the rain comes back on the flowering. An phenologic delay is scheduled. If july and august have been sometimes caniculars, september joins again wet days and warm nights. The harvest moves forward because tricky. A suite of shiny days and cool nights come down the atmosphere. The cabernet sauvignon eases the situation but the merlot stays on pressure.

Harvest are physical. Performing tools and self control are necessary. The yield is divided by two but made of healthy berries and the wine will be good.

TASTING NOTES

The colour is red with depth.

The wine is neat and straight.

Before stirring: menthol and light floral notes.

After stirring: Cherry and curry.

The attack is straightforward.

The mouth is bodied and a cabernet sauvignon frame marks the volume with a delicate tanic harmony.

The finish is quite long and floral.

Wait until 2017 before sampling the wine, an aging potential up to 2025.

BLENDING

Cabernet sauvignon : 60%,

Merlot : 33%

Petit verdot : 7%

GRAPE HARVESTS

Merlot : from the 1st to the 7th of october 2013.

Cabernet sauvignon : from the 3rd to 15th of october 2013.

Petit verdot : from the 5th to 7th of october 2013.